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**CPR REGULATION REQUIREMENT Q & A**

Q: What CPR course do I need to take?

A: *Chiropractors are only required to take the Adult Basic CPR course for certification (**4-hour minimum**). The Professional course is not required. Defibrillator training is not required.*

Q: Who are the approved course providers?

A: *The following are the current approved course providers; please note that these providers can have multiple locations with different business names:*

American Heart Association.....[www.americanheart.org](http://www.americanheart.org)  
American Red Cross.....[www.redcross.org](http://www.redcross.org)  
American Safety & Health Institute.....[www.ashinstitute.org](http://www.ashinstitute.org)  
CME Associates.....[www.cmecybered.com](http://www.cmecybered.com)  
EMS Safety Services.....[www.emssafetyservices.com](http://www.emssafetyservices.com)  
On-Site CPR Training.....(310) 397-1780  
R & B CPR and First Aid Training.....(510) 638-5445  
Safety-Aid Instruction.....(800) 998-4CPR  
Safety Training Seminars.....[www.cprcpr.com](http://www.cprcpr.com)  
Save-A-Life Educators.....(619) 669-9911  
A-B-CPR.....(858) 693-3304  
University Training Center, Inc.....[www.cprutc.com](http://www.cprutc.com)  
CPR For Life.....(818) 341-4354  
Hayes Training Consultants.....(916) 487-5380

Q: There is a local vendor I would like to contact for CPR certification who is not on the approved provider list what should I do?

A: *Contact the provider and ask that they send in a request to become an approved course provider. They must provide a specific course description along with an agenda or outline that shows what and how long each topic is covered during the training seminar. The Board approves providers as necessary.*

Q: Can I take an on-line CPR course?

A: *No, we do not approve on-line CPR courses.*

Q: When should I send in my CPR certification?

A: *Please send in a copy of your CPR certification with your license renewal.*

Q: Does CPR training qualify for continuing education credit?

A: *No, CPR is an additional training requirement that does not qualify for CE credit.*

Q: If I need an exemption from the CPR requirement what do I need to do?

A: *You must submit a letter stating the reasons for your exemption request along with a medical doctor's note to the Board with your license renewal.*

Q: If my license is currently inactive do I need to fulfill the CPR requirement?

A: *No, you are not required to fulfill the CPR requirement. If you decide to renew your license as active then you must fulfill the CPR requirement at that time.*

Q: If I am applying to become a licensed chiropractor do I need to send in CPR certification?

A: *When you apply to become a licensed chiropractor with this Board you must send in a copy of your CPR certification with your application.*